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House Resolution No. 4660

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House take tremendous pleasure in acknowledging milestone events in the lives and careers of Show-Me State residents who have proven down through the years to be exceptional, involved citizens in local communities and neighborhoods; and

Whereas, Loa A. Freeman of Springfield has attained considerable distinction as a Yoga professional and consultant; and

Whereas, Loa Freeman recently enhanced her already impressive record of accomplishment when she opened a new Springfield business called Success Naturally, Incorporated; and

Whereas, Loa Freeman has helped improve the quality of life in Springfield, southwest Missouri, and the entire state not only through her entrepreneurial activities, but also through her active participation in Greater Leadership of Women in Missouri; and

Whereas, a registered teacher with Yoga Alliance, Loa Freeman deserves notice of her special status as cofounder and president of The Doula Foundation of Mid-America; and

Whereas, no stranger to honors and accolades, Loa Freeman was selected Woman of the Year in 2002 by Clear Channel Media and as the Most Influential Business Woman in 2001 by the <u>Business Journal</u>; and

Whereas, Loa Freeman is justifiably proud to be known as the wife of Thomas Lloyd Wooten, DVM; stepmother of Donald Wooten; daughter of Norma Jean Abbott; sister of Karen and Jeff Bower; and aunt of Destiny Bower:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the entrepreneurial spirit of Loa Freeman and to convey to her this legislative body's heartiest best wishes as she operates Success Naturally, Incorporated, as a new business in the state of Missouri; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for presentation to Loa A. Freeman of Springfield, Missouri.

Offered by
Representative Roy W. Holand
District No. 135
I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of
Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, Second
Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and
correct copy of House Resolution No. 4660, adopted
December 15, 2004.